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Description: ff. 63 - Original limp vellum. On the spine is written "G***ctrica MSS". On the rear cover are a pen-drawing, upside-down, of the same decorative device as on f. 2r, and a sketch of city gates. - Bequest of Henry C. Taylor, 1971.

Notes:-Manuscript on paper made by an unknown Venetian mathematician, astronomer and cartographer. This manuscript is highly interesting for the excellent drawings of contemporary Mediterranean sailing-ships.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

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Language: Italian *Country:* Italy *Century:* 16th

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Part 1:

Description: - paper - 310 x 210 mm.

Country: Italy

Region: Venice

Assigned Date: [between 1560 and 1564]

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1560 - 1564

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Script: Written by one hand in Gothico-Humanistic Cursive, which in the maps alternates with Capitalis. Headings in Capitalis inscribed on scrolls or tablets.

Notes: Maps, borders and decorations in colours. Clumsily drawn human and animal figures. Binding: Original limp vellum. On the spine is written "G***ctrica MSS". On the rear cover are a pen-drawing, upside-down, of the same decorative device as on f. 2r, and a sketch of city gates.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Title: Atlas of the islands in the Eastern Mediterranean (Isolario), etc.

Subjects: Atlases--Early works to 1800.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.; Manuscript maps.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.; Sailing ships--Pictorial works.; Islands of the Mediterranean.;

Language(s): Italian